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SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING

Requesting School Board to Dispense With the Services of Supt. Geo. W. Chapman.

At a special meeting of the City Council, on last Tuesday night, that body adopted a resolution requesting the School Board to immediately dispense with the services of Prof. Chapman, the Superintendent of the City School. This institution is one in which every citizen is vitally interested, and for that reason, and for the additional reason that so many conflicting reports are in circulation, we think that the proceedings of the meeting should be fully published so that the people may understand the true situation.

The Mayor stated that he had called the meeting for the purpose of considering certain matters affecting the public school, and as it was important, he had thought it best to reduce his statements to writing, so that neither his meaning or his words would be misunderstood. His statement, which consisted of twelve pages of type-written matter, commenced as follows:

"Gentlemen:—On Thursday, the 18th inst., I went to Madisonville for the purpose of investigating the antecedents and record of George W. Chapman, Superintendent of the Public Schools, returning home on Saturday night. On the following Monday morning, the 22nd inst., I asked R. P. Dow, the President of the School Board to call a meeting of that body, as I wished to lay before it the results of my investigation. He did so and on that night, accompanied by Mr. Parrish and Mr. Woods, members of this council, I went before the School Board and made substantially the following statement:

"Gentlemen:—I am here tonight for the purpose of laying before you certain facts affecting the moral character and reputation of Geo. W. Chapman, Superintendent of the Public Schools. I wish to premise my remarks, however, with the statement that since my return home, I have been informed that Mr. Chapman or some of his friends have been saying that I am opposed to him because he was for local option. If such statements have been made, the President of this School Board can bear witness to the fact that they are absolutely and unequivocally false, for knows that I came to him and protested against the re-election of Mr. Chapman before a local option election was ever ordered; moreover, I do not know, of my own knowledge, whether he was for or against it."

He further stated to the School Board that he had known for awhile that there was great dissatisfaction among the teachers as none of them seemed to like either the Superintendent or his methods, and that one of the teachers, who had been in the school for nineteen years, refused to apply for her position again on that account. He went to Mr. Dow and to Mr. Templin, explained the situation and requested that an investigation be made of conditions in the school before electing a superintendent for the coming year. This the Board declined to do, and on that same night, re-elected Mr. Chapman. The next morning, he went to Mr. Dow and informed him that he—the Mayor—had just been told that some time last summer, the School Board had received a signed letter from a former resident of Louisa, where Mr. Chapman had formerly taught school, charging that the latter had been guilty of immoral conduct while at that place. That instead of investigating that charge, three members of the Board had, through Mr. Arnsperger, made an investigation of Mr. Chapman's record at Madisonville, from which place Mr. Chapman came to Paris, and that while he—the Mayor—did not know the results of Mr. Arnsperger's investigation, he did know that the three members of the Board had agreed to keep the matter a secret, even from the other members. That he, also, had received a newspaper clipping showing that charges of some sort had been preferred against Mr. Chapman at the last named place, and as there seemed to be so much dissatisfaction in the school, that in justice both to the city and the teachers he would make an investigation. He went to Madisonville and called on some of the most prominent men there. The first one he called upon was the editor of one of the leading newspapers there, formerly County Judge, and now a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative from Hopkins County. This gentleman informed him that while Mr. Chapman was at the head of the school at that place, all sorts of rumors were in circulation regarding his undue familiarity with the female pupils. That finally three of the girls made written statements in regard to the matter, and public sentiment became so strong that he—his informant—went to the members of the School Board, who were trying to sustain Mr. Chapman, and told them that they could not afford to defy the sentiment, and that they must let him go. This gentleman also told him that his own daughters had complained to their mother about Mr. Chapman's treatment of them.

He then called upon the County Attorney of Hopkins County, who is the Hon. Ruby Laffoon, the present Democratic nominee for State Treasurer, and one of the most prominent men in that section of the State. He was informed by this official that three girls had made written charges against Mr. Chapman, alleging that that person had taken them into his private office, hugged them and put his hands under their clothes. That he had taken these statements to the School Board, and said to them that if they did not get rid of Chapman he would demand a

warrant for his arrest, and that when the charges were shown to Mr. Chapman, he immediately resigned. That after Mr. Chapman left the school, some of the larger girls made known the fact that he had hugged them at various times, but they had said nothing about it as they wanted to pass at the end of the term and knew they would not do so if they complained of the Superintendent. He also mentioned other discreditable rumors that were in circulation.

After stating all of these things to the School Board he—the Mayor—had asked them to drop Mr. Chapman from the school, saying that this city could not afford to have a man with that sort of a reputation at the head of the school; that the public demanded—and rightfully so—that the character of teachers, both male and female, should be above suspicion and that justice to the patrons of the school demanded that only that sort should be employed.

Mr. Dow admitted that all that the Mayor had said about the letter from Louisa and the investigation made by the three members of the Board was true. Mr. Arnsperger in defense of Mr. Chapman and of the action of the School Board in retaining him after knowledge that these charges had been made against him, said that he had been assured by the members of the School Board and by several other persons at Madisonville, that Mr. Chapman was a good man, and that the charges against him were groundless, and that being satisfied that such was the case, he had come home and so reported to the three members of the Board, and that they had argued to keep the matter a secret.

Mr. Arnsperger stated that he was satisfied from what he had learned that County Attorney Ruby Laffoon and Judge Yost, two of the most prominent men there, were responsible for the troubles that Mr. Chapman had in Madisonville. He said that these two lawyers were behind the prosecution of Mr. Chapman for the severe whipping of a boy and intended to sue him for damages if they could have him convicted on the criminal charge, but that when the grand jury failed to indict, they got mad, had these reports started and charges filed, and did all in their power to annoy him.

The Mayor said that that was a curious charge to bring against members of his own profession, in good standing, and Mr. Arnsperger replied that his statements were true.

The School Board took the ground that as the guilt of Mr. Chapman had not been conclusively shown to them, it was their duty to retain him, no matter what rumors were in circulation, or what his reputation was in other places. For that reason, the Mayor had appealed to the Council for it to take such action as it might deem proper.

The statement of the Mayor concluded as follows:

"It is not denied—in fact, it is admitted—by Mr. Chapman, Mr. Arnsperger and Mr. Dow, that the signed letter accusing Mr. Chapman of immoral conduct in Louisa was received here, and that the rumors and charges in regard to his conduct in Madisonville were made and in circulation there; and further, that when these written charges were made, he resigned his position some months before the school term closed. Mr. Arnsperger says he saw the written statements referred to by Mr. Laffoon. He says, however, that he was told by Judge Yost that they were not sworn to and seeks to discredit them upon that ground. I take it that this is of no importance, even if true, for all that was necessary was to prove the truth of the charges when the matter was heard. Never the less, he says they were in existence and were shown to him. This being the case it is, as I said to the School Board, of no practical importance to the people of Paris whether Mr. Chapman is guilty or innocent of the charges. They have no obligation to defend him, or to furnish him a position in which to rehabilitate his shattered reputation. Their first duty is to themselves. It is of the utmost importance that the reputation of those entrusted with the formation of the character and the education of the children should be above reproach. In matters affecting the Public Schools, parents can afford to take no chances; they cannot be expected to critically weigh in the balance and determine the truth or falsity of such charges. An ounce of preventive is worth a pound of cure, and it is, in my judgment, much better to take decisive action at once, rather than postpone it possibly to our infinite and unending regret."

"For these reasons, Mr. Chapman's connection with the school should, in my opinion, end immediately, and I ask you a body charged with the welfare and good government of this community, to take such steps as may be necessary to secure this result. It is with extreme regret that I make these matters public, but the refusal of the School Board to take action, leaves me no other course to pursue."

The Mayor stated that the statement he had just read had been prepared to submit to the Council at its regular meeting last Thursday night, but there being so much business to attend to at that meeting he had postponed it until this time. He then read a short additional statement prepared that day.

He said that immediately after his meeting with the School Board, he had written Mr. Laffoon a letter telling him of the statements made by Mr. Arnsperger concerning himself and Judge Yost. He read a letter from each one of these gentlemen. Judge Yost denounced the statements made concerning him as malicious and deliberately falsehoods and denied telling Mr. Arnsperger that the statements were not sworn to. All that he did tell him was that on account of the charges made by girls against Mr. Chapman, he considered the latter a dangerous man to be entrusted with the care of

children and on that account he did not care to discuss the matter.

Mr. Laffoon also denied the statements made by Mr. Arnsperger and detailed his connection with and knowledge of Mr. Chapman.

The Mayor also said that when he had written to the President of the Madisonville School Board in regard to this matter, that official had conceded the facts in reply.

The whole situation can be thoroughly understood from reading the last paragraph of Mayor O'Brien's last statement and the charges contained in the letter of Mr. Laffoon, County Attorney of Hopkins County, of which Madisonville is the county seat. The Mayor's statement concluded as follows:

"Since my appearance before the School Board, the statement has been assiduously circulated by some of its members, that the matter, to which I called their attention, had been carefully investigated in Madisonville and found to be without foundation. Against that statement, I set the written and signed statement of the County Attorney of Hopkins County, that no investigation of these written charges was ever made, but that on the contrary as soon as they were made, Mr. Chapman immediately resigned and the natural inference is, that he took such action to escape an investigation.

"The fact remains that Mr. Chapman left his former place under a cloud; that after written statements charging him with immoral conduct had been made, he resigned, without an investigation, and so far as the records show, without making any effort to show his innocence. Under such circumstances, it is evident that his reputation is such, that his continued connection with the school can only result in damage to that institution. I again repeat my request that you take such action as will result in his removal, and suggest that you adopt a resolution requesting the Board of Education to dispense with his services."

That portion of the County Attorney's letter referring to the written charges filed against Mr. Chapman is as follows:

"There were many damaging reports about Chapman's attempted intimacy with girl pupils. It was the talk of the town. Good citizens appealed to me as County Attorney to investigate the matter. I did investigate. As the result of my investigations I procured the signed statements of three girls, all that I attempted to get, stating that Chapman had called them into his office at different times, and while alone with him he had put his hands under their dresses and (our readers are referred to the letter itself for the details of the charges).

"Two of these statements were written by me in the exact language of the girl making them. The other one was written by the girl herself, not in my presence nor in the presence of any one else. After I had secured these statements, I went before the School Board and informed them of their nature, not telling them that I had them written in my possession. The School Board informed me that they could not act unless the charges were reduced to writing and formally presented. I then produced the statements and read them to the Board and informed them that unless they proceeded to act upon these statements, which I had read, I would demand a warrant of arrest and proceed with a prosecution in the Courts. I told them that if they would dismiss Chapman from the School I would not insist upon a prosecution, as the parents of the girls did not want the matter brought publicly before the community or have their daughters brought into court to testify upon such a charge, if it could be prevented. The Board immediately sent for Chapman and informed him of the statements in my possession and what I had said, thereupon he immediately resigned his position and nothing further was demanded or done."

After the Mayor had concluded, the Council adopted a resolution, asking the School Board to immediately dismiss Mr. Chapman. All of the written statements and letters have been made part of the City records and spread upon the minutes. They are now public documents and are open to the inspection of the public. They are well worth reading and should be carefully examined by every citizen of this city who has the interests of the school at heart.

Statement of C. Arnsperger, Legal Advisor of School Board.

That the Board of Education of the City of Paris is separate and independent department of the municipal government, and that the City Council of Paris has nothing whatever to do with the selection of Superintendents and teachers of the City Schools, and their action Tuesday night was certainly absurd, when same is taken in connection with what had previously occurred. Prof. Geo. W. Chapman, who was formerly Superintendent of Madisonville, Ky., Public Schools, was in the Spring of 1906 elected by the Board of Education of Paris, Superintendent of its schools. He was unanimously endorsed by his school board at Madisonville, his corps of teachers there and by prominent persons and Board of Education where he had previously been employed. In August, just before the school term, some person wrote three letters, one to Chairman of the School Board, one to County Superintendent of Schools and another to Mayor O'Brien, of Paris. These letters made the same serious charges against Prof. Chapman and no action was taken by Mayor O'Brien at that time, though he had a sister teaching in the public schools. He lately admitted before the School Board that he threw the letter in the fire because

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An Interesting Washington Letter

WASHINGTON, May 1.—It is being whispered in official circles that John W. Yerkes, of Kentucky, did not resign as commissioner of internal revenue in the most pleasant frame of mind. As a matter of fact, so goes the report, the administration made things so unpleasant for him, that he practically was forced out of the service. These are indeed dangerous days for those who dare to oppose the White House or who raise their voices for anything but harmony chorus with President Roosevelt beating time. This has been exemplified in the flat refusal of the President to recognize the unquestionable right of the Senators from Ohio to make nominations in the government service in the Buckeye State and in the bitter war being waged upon the Wadsworths in New York, a war that the administration hopes will end in the extermination of this political clan. It will be remembered that Col. Wadsworth, who was defeated for reelection to Congress last fall, had the temerity to differ from the President on the Agricultural bill. Representative-elect John W. Langley, of the tenth Kentucky District, probably will be made the administration's chief lieutenant in his state in place of Mr. Yerkes. Mr. Langley is here this week, coming at the invitation of the President. For a conference. He believes firmly that the Republicans of Kentucky will elect a governor this year.

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Representative John Wesley Gaines, of Tennessee, is growing epigrammatic. In a conversation this week he declared that the people of the United States were rapidly learning the peculiarly arithmetic of Wall Street. The mathematics that govern the financial affairs of Wall Street, said Mr. Gaines might be summed up something like this:

10 mills make one trust;
10 trusts make one merger;
10 mergers make one magnate;
1 magnate makes all the money.

In view of the recent exposures of Harriman methods, it would seem that Mr. Gaine's new financial multiplication table is not far astray.

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Increasing pressure is being brought to bear to induce President Roosevelt to make a trip of inspection on the Mississippi river, from the most northerly point of navigation to the Gulf. The President has withheld the pressure thus far, declining on the ground that so urgent is public business and the date set for the beginning of his official vacation so near, he can find no time. The importance of the trip is being exposed by the governors of a number of the Southern and Middle Western States, among them being Gov. Patterson of Tennessee, Gov. Vardaman of Mississippi, Gov. Broward of Florida, Gov. Blanchard of Louisiana, Gov. Cummins of Iowa, and Gov. Davidson of Wisconsin. The voyage is intended to prove to the President the necessity that exists for the creation of a ship channel connecting the Great Lakes with the Gulf of Mexico. An item of several thousand dollars was carried in the last rivers and harbors appropriation bill, providing for a complete survey of the work and a report on its feasibility and cost. The deep waterway boomers contend that there is no question as to the feasibility and importance of the ship channel, and declare that an appropriation sufficient to permit of the immediate undertaking of the work should be forthcoming at the next session. A number of the governors who had signed the petition to the President are deeply interested in the general question of waterway improvements and were present at the convention of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress held in this city last December. At that time the Lakes-to-the-Gulf Deep Waterway Association held a number of meetings and worked earnestly with members of Congress and officials of the Administration for the advancement of their pet project. While giving the organization its powerful moral support, the National Rivers and Harbors Congress made no attempt to take an advancement of a general scheme of waterways betterments, and recognizes no sectional or individual projects. In an effort to keep before Congress the necessity for making another large appropriation for work at the next session, this organization is desirous of increasing its membership, now extends to every State and territory in the Union. Captain J. F. Ellison of Cincinnati its secretary and treasurer, has issued another call to everyone interested in the work, setting forth the objects and aspirations of the organization and calling attention to the extremely low fees for membership.

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Without hair-pulling, criminations, or recriminations, the convention of the Daughters of the American Revolution has been held, has dragged its exciting length along, and has adjourned. The Daughters took Washington by storm, but the only excitement they caused was in the annual election of the president general. Nearly a score of women sought for the distinction of presiding over the destinies of the organization, but the occupant of the office, Mrs. McLean, won an easy victory, and will succeed herself. While a few of the delegates still remain in town, by far the greater number have disappeared in the direction of Jameson, and a large party is quartered at the Homestead Hotel at Hot Springs, Va. Washington at the present time is socially dead, society being the most part quartered at the Virginia mountain resort.

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as he said, he attached no importance to it. Is it not strange that Mayor O'Brien waited until after the late local option election contest in Paris this spring to call his Council together to consider this subject which came to his attention last August?

Prof. Chapman permitted the children of the City School to march on election day in the local option parade and he and Mayor O'Brien were on opposite sides in said election. Immediately after the local option contest in which Prof. Chapman permitted the children to march in the parade, Mayor O'Brien has suddenly remembered his long forgotten duty to have the Council take action on the charges made in this old letter which he threw in the fire last August.

Since the local option election he has become so zealous on the subject that he has taken it upon himself to go to Madisonville to investigate the charges he knew about as long ago as last August. While Mayor O'Brien did not take any action last August or at any time until after the local option election and after Prof. Chapman permitted the City School children to march in the local option parade, the Board of Education did take up the charges last summer on their own accord, and they did not wait to be asked to do so by Mayor O'Brien or the City Council. The Chairman of the Board of Education selected Clifton Arnsperger, an attorney and member of the School Board, to go to Madisonville and make an investigation. No mention was made to Prof. Chapman until after the investigation was made, and he was asked to tell what took place there. His statements agreed substantially as to what Arnsperger had found.

Arnsperger went to Madisonville, went to County Attorney Laffoon's office, also to members of the Board of Education of Madisonville, attended a call meeting of said Board and heard each member express his opinion of Prof. Chapman's innocence, and also interviewed patrons of the school and found that the Board of Education had exonerated him and had words of praise for him as a gentleman and as Superintendent of Schools; the charges against Prof. Chapman were adjudged to be false and considered an attempt by some enemies to injure his reputation.

After Arnsperger's report was received Prof. Chapman took charge of the schools as Superintendent, and has diligently and successfully discharged the duties of his office up to the present time.

When Mayor O'Brien went to Madisonville to make an investigation himself as to Prof. Chapman's reputation, he seems to have seen Laffoon, County Attorney, and a newspaper man, and came back without seeing the Madisonville Board of Education, or any of them, and on his arrival home, had the Chairman of the Board of Education to call a meeting in order that he could confer with them. He stated the results of his partial investigation at Madisonville, and wanted the Board to remove Prof. Chapman and said that he would have the City Council to take the matter up if the Board did not act.

The Board, after hearing O'Brien's statement and report from Arnsperger, refused to open the matter, as they had already made complete investigation, and were satisfied as to Prof. Chapman's innocence, unless O'Brien or some one else would file a written charge against Prof. Chapman, charging some offense that had not been investigated.

For reasons stated above, the Board of Education declined to take any notice of the resolutions passed by City Council of Paris.

For the benefit of the public, we desire to state that affidavits corroborating statements made by Arnsperger will be published later.

[NOTE.—The above statement was dictated by C. Arnsperger, the legal adviser of the Board, and it met with their approval.]

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Live muttons are selling so much higher than anybody expected that alarm is expressed lest the pyrotechnical conclusion of the winter feeding season inflame the country to rash deeds during the coming season when feed lots are filled, says the Breeders Gazette. Nine cent Colorado lambs are a possibility and \$7.50 has been a common price for good short horn lambs. Colorado fed ewes have reached \$7.25. Feeding lambs have been taken out within the weeks at \$8.50 or within 10 cents of the highest fat lambs on the same session which looks like throwing caution winds. The intending feeder must not overlook the fact, however, that this is a boom market only at the tail end. The bulk of feed stuff marketed during the winter was either sold at a loss to the feeder, owing to excessive first cost and expensive feed, or needed but meager profits. The rise will undoubtedly establish feeder quotations on a high level all summer and 7-cent lambs for the country, something the feeder must also take into consideration. Next winter will be a good season for the amateur either to let lambs alone or try only a small bunch as it promises to be everybody's game. As a rule it has been the novice who lost money on sheep and lambs during the season just closing. Experienced feeders have pocketed what ever money the game yielded.

Death is Penalty For Criminal Outrage.

An opinion considered most remarkable for its brevity, and as expressing fully the law of Kentucky inflicting the death penalty for criminal outrage was delivered by the Court of Appeals yesterday. It was delivered in affirming the death sentence of Harrison Alexander, a negro, in Muhlenberg county. It contains this on paragraph:

"The indictment is sufficient. The instructions presented correctly. The law with its evidence is conclusive of his guilt, beyond the shadow of a doubt. The trial was conducted throughout in an orderly and regular way. The penalty imposed is extreme, but deserved. The record is free from prejudice, error, and judgment must be affirmed."

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Notice.

All Confederate veterans are requested to meet at the court house in Paris, at 2 p.m., on Monday, May 6. Business of importance.

A. T. FORSYTH.

Strange Disease.

The sporting fraternity, especially those interested in quail shooting are very much alarmed over the fact that a new disease has been discovered among the birds, which is rapidly depleting their number. It is a germ that particularly affects the liver and intestines of the quail and at once renders it useless for propagating purposes. The origin and cause of the disease is not known although experts of the government are now engaged in looking into it with a view of arriving at some conclusion whereby it may be checked.

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30-21 MARGOLEN,

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The Gallant Elks.

On Tuesday night the Elks passed resolutions to the effect that the club rooms of the lodge were to be turned over on Thursday afternoon and evening of each week to the wives, mothers and sisters of the members of that order, and also to any other ladies that might be invited by the Elks or by the ladies of their families.

NOTICE.

The stockholders of the Deposit Bank of Paris are notified that the annual election of Directors will be held at their banking house on Monday, May 6, 1907.

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Hadn't Been Drunk.

He evidently wasn't used to the ways of big hotels. He looked as though he might have been from some Kansas farm and was in a large city for the first time. Somehow he had heard that the next morning men who had been absorbing intoxicants drink lots of ice water.

"Say," he said to C. T. Newton behind the desk at the Shirley hotel about 8 o'clock in the morning, "the other clerk last night told me to ask for things over the little telephone in my room when I wanted 'em."

"Yes," said Newton.

"Well, this morning, about a half an hour ago, I asked for a glass of ice water. Some girl answered the telephone."

"Yes."

"Well, I don't like to be took for a heavy drinker. I wasn't drunk last night."

"What do you mean?"

"Yes" this: I didn't get no glass of ice water. That girl sent me up a whole pitcher. I looked mighty much to me like she thought I was full of liquor last night and would need a whole pitcher. A glass would 'a' been enough." And as he turned and strode away he wore one of those "Guess I didn't call him down, eh?" looks.—Denver Post.

An Old Time Alderman.

Several patrons of the restaurant at Broadway and Tenth street were lunching there a few days ago, seated at a table between the corner windows on the second floor which commanded a fine view down Broadway, which makes a sharp turn at Tenth street. Said one of them: "Do you know that this bend in Broadway was made in order to save a tree? Well, it was. As originally planned, Broadway would have cut a slice off the lawn of Hendrik Brevoort, who ran a tavern in the Dutch farmhouse which stood where Grace church now is. He was an alderman, like many of his profession today, and not only succeeded in saving the magnificent tree in the shade of which his customers lingered over their pipes to watch the traffic on Bloomingdale road, but about 1849 also prevented the opening of Eleventh street from Fourth avenue to Broadway, which would have necessitated the tearing down of his tavern."—New York Sun.

The true strength of every human soul is to be dependent on as many nobler as it can discern and to be depended upon by as many inferior as it can reach.—Ruskin.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

The remainder of the Stock belonging to the estate of J. W. Hughes will be sold on the premises on Saturday, May 4, at 2 o'clock p.m. Articles and material suitable for farmers will be sold.

P. I. McCARTHY,
Administrator.

Excursion A Success.

The Richard Hawes Chapter, D. of C., had 254 persons to go on their excursion to Cincinnati, Wednesday.

Dr. Landman, the oculist and artist, will be at Mrs. R. M. Harris' corner of Fourth and Pleasant streets, Tuesday, May 14th.

To Be Used As Storage.

The old ice plant opposite the L. & N. passenger depot, is being put in good condition by the Society of Equity. It will be used for the storage of tobacco.

4-21 MARGOLEN.

At Christian Church.

The meeting closed at the Christian church Wednesday evening with 130 additions. Elder Carey E. Morgan will be in his pulpit at both services Sunday. At the morning service there will be about 100 persons received into the church. In the evening baptismal services will be held.

Residence Sold.

John T. Clark's new residence, on Cypress street, was sold privately to J. H. Weatherall, recently of Corbin. Price, \$3,900.

Attachment Suit Filed.

A number of attachment suits were filed yesterday against the livery and transfer firm of Stewart & Lowe. The Agricultural Bank and Yerkes & Kenney were among those who got in first. Their claims amounted to about \$800. A number of horses, wagons and hay were levied on.

J. T. HINTON.

Hinton's Specialties.

We make a specialty of refrigerators and sell the best on earth—the celebrated cork-lined North Star—all sizes and prices. Our stock of wall paper can't be beat and we are now ready to put it on the wall. Select your patterns now. When it comes to carpets we have them all beat. It is no trouble for us to show you our stock and price them. Have a look today.

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J. T. HINTON.

The Roof Garden Tragedy.

The presentation of "The Roof Garden Tragedy" at the Paris Grand, Wednesday night, was prolific in depictions of the things which were instrumental in giving the world, and especially the United States, a sensation marked by moral depravity. The Mystery of the Court of London, read no more excitingly than has the social and domestic sensation from which the subject matter has been taken for "The Roof Garden Tragedy."

The play as a whole is quite interesting, but lacks much in the way of completeness and polish.

Guardian Appointed.

Mrs. Dora Carr was yesterday appointed guardian of her son, Joseph Wayne Carr, son of the late Jos. E. Carr, formerly of this city.

The Place To Advertise.

In our last issue we advertised for two lost breast pins, and both were returned to the owners before noon of the day of publication. Advertise in the News and you are sure to get good returns.

Guess On The Clock.

Only three days left to guess. Guess the time the clock stops and it pays you.

It LUMAN & ADCOCK.

Didn't Reach Destination.

Capt. Chandler and Aeronaut McCoy, who started Tuesday night from St. Louis for Washington in a balloon, came down near Illinois Central railroad station at Golconda, Ill., Wednesday evening owing to some defect in the balloon. Neither was hurt.

Dr. Dailey Attacked By Monster Snake.

Dr. M. H. Dailey, our popular dentist, while coming to his office from his residence on Mt. Airy Avenue, Tuesday evening, after supper, stepped on a monster snake as he was coming down the steps at the North side of the swinging bridge.

The doctor felt the snake as it tried to bite him, and it immediately coiled around his leg. The scene at that end of the bridge was a lively one for a few minutes, the greatest jig dancer in the world could not have been in it with the jovial doctor at this time. The snake was frightened off by Julian Howe, who was with the doctor, falling up the steps trying to get out of the way. The serpent was as big as your wrist and about five feet in length.

The doctor and Julian now go home via Second street and do not even glance at the bridge. Ladies, be careful, for it is said the snake resides under the steps at that end of the bridge.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. W. S. Tuttle is the guest of relatives in Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Massie, of Lexington, will spend the summer abroad.

Mrs. John Barnes, of Mt. Sterling, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. B. A. Frank.

Attorney Ray Mann, of Louisville, is the guest of his parents, Judge and Mrs. Russell Mann.

Mr. F. M. Bashore, of Paulding, O., is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. C. D. Roeckeb.

Attorney Charles A. McMillan will return tomorrow from several weeks' stay at Hot Springs.

The Elks Band will give another delightful dance at the Elks Hall this evening at 8:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Carroll Hamilton, of Mt. Sterling, is the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. M. Brennan.

Mrs. Elizabeth Rogers has returned from a month's visit to relatives and friends at Easley, S. C.

Judge Denis Dundon and Mr. J. Stern have returned from a flying business trip to Birmingham, Ala.

The regular monthly meeting of the C. W. B. M. will be held at the Christian church parlors this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger E. Clark, of Madisonville, Ky., are guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Clark.

Miss Kate Alexander has returned from Wheeling, W. Va., where she was one of the bridesmaids at Miss Paull's wedding.

Dr. Barclay Stephens and wife, of San Francisco, arrived yesterday to visit the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Moore left Wednesday for Mt. Sterling where Mr. Moore has been assigned in the Internal Revenue service.

Mrs. G. W. Myers, accompanied by Mrs. Ida Desha and daughter, Miss Helen Desha, have returned from Newcastle, Ind., and will permanently reside in Paris.

SUPERVISOR'S NOTICE.

The Board of Supervisors for the City of Paris, Ky., will meet in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 10 o'clock a.m., on Thursday, May 16, 1907, and on such days thereafter as may be necessary.

JAMES M. O'BRIEN, Mayor.

Attest: A. C. ADAIR, Clerk.

Paris, Ky., May 2, 1907.

Royal And Select Masters.

Jos. Ewalt, Doug. Williams, Luther Ashcraft, W. E. Board, Geo. W. Taylor, Samuel Martin, Geo. Varden, Jas. A. Stewart, all members of Paris Council, No. 30, Royal and Select Master, went up to Mt. Sterling, Tuesday night and conferred the Royal and Select degrees on 15 candidates in that city. They were entertained in royal manner by the Mt. Sterling brothers and their trip was a very enjoyable one. There was no council in that city until instituted by the visitors.

Street Man Here.

Sam Murray, of Indianapolis, who put down Main street is in the city and preparing to make the few needed repairs on the street before moving his plant away.

Examination Of Graduates.

Examinations for graduates of the common school of the county will be held Friday and Saturday, May 10 and 11, at the offices of County Superintendent E. L. McChesney.

Preaching At Palmer School.

Dr. E. H. Rutherford will preach at Palmer's School House on Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m., and will at the same time reorganize the Sabbath school. All are invited to attend.

Bourbon News Wins.

Bourbon News, a thoroughbred horse owned by Mr. J. Hergenrether, of Ohio, won his race at Lexington Tuesday at the odds of 40 to 1. The horse was bred in this country and purchased by Mr. Hergenrether when a yearling.

He had him in one of our livery stables here and was preparing to ship him when one of our carriers threw our paper into the office of the stable.

Mr. Hergenrether picked it up and on reading the head at once exclaimed:

"A good name for my colt and his name shall be Bourbon News,"

although many are inclined to believe he was given this name because he is "Swift."

A number of our boys came home Tuesday evening with nice rolls of the green goods on their person. He was in a selling race for \$500 and was taken away from his owner at \$1,000.

Extensive Preparations.

Extensive preparations have been made at Maysville for the entertainment of the Grand Commandery, Knights Templar, and the complete programme has been announced. De Molay Commandery of Louisville will go on a steamboat and will use the boat as its headquarters while in Maysville.

School Board Meets.

The Board of Education met yesterday afternoon and Mr. C. Arnsperger made a motion to elect Prof. Chapman for two years more. The motion was seconded by Dr. F. L. Lapsley. President Dow opposed it thinking that the Board had better wait awhile. The other members seemed to agree with Mr. Dow in his opinion and the motion was withdrawn.

The object of the meeting was to consider the resolution passed by the Council in regard to the dismissal of Superintendent Chapman.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Young, of this city, announce the engagement of their daughter, Leoma Lee, to Mr. Percy R. Smith, of Cynthiana, Ky. Marriage to take place June 6th, 1907.

St. Peter's Episcopal Church.

Services—Sunday, 10 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. morning prayer and sermon; 7:30 p.m. evening service; Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. evening prayer and litany. R. S. Litsinger, Pastor.

How To Do It.

A Kentucky farmer answered an advertisement, "How to get more eggs," and enclosed a dollar fee. The reply was simple: "Raise more hens."

Another man complained that when he sent \$5 to learn the secret of "living without work," he was advised to become a boarder at the poorhouse.

Epidemic Of Measles.

Have you had the measles yet? Well, if you haven't, you had better look out, as an epidemic of this malady is abroad in this land, and there are many sufferers in neighboring counties. Not alone babies and children, but grown up people are being effected, and the disease is sweeping with an impartiality that is marked.

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--Turtle Meat--UNEXCELED FOR
---SOUPS AND STEWS.---

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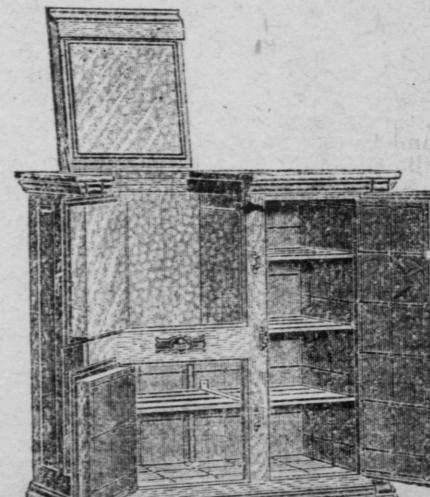
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The Henderson
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- 1st. The outside case.
- 3d. A lining of non-conducting sheathing.
- 4th. A wall of granulated cork.
- 5th. A lining of non-conducting sheathing.
- 6th. A wall of matched lumber.
- 7th. A wall of galvanized steel and zinc.

Do you think the United States Navy would use this refrigerator if it was not the best made? If you want the best you will have to buy the NORTH STAR. I sell this Refrigerator on an absolute guarantee to give satisfaction. I have now in stock a full line. If you buy any other kind you don't get as good.

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No Second Hand Goods.

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The Crawford Shoes have been growing rapidly in favor for nearly a third of a century. The reason is evident: They are reliable. They are feet-fitters. They have all the good points of a \$5 or \$6 Shoe. Custom made and up-to-date styles.

Price Only \$4 James Means \$3.50.

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MILLERSBURG ITEMS.

I have several vacant rooms in the flat adjoining my residence, which are for rent. They are conveniently arranged for two families. For further particulars call on Mrs. Lou F. Conway.

—Job printing neat and cheap, give me a call. R. M. CALDWELL.

—Misses Stanly Talbott, Harry Taylor, Lawson Orxley, Joseph Fennell, and W. VanDeren, members of the Cynthia walking Club, walked from that city here Sunday arriving about eleven o'clock, leaving at four in the afternoon by way of Ruddles Mills.

—Mr. Leonard Clarey, of Shannon, was the guest of his cousins, "Squire" A. C. Ball and family Saturday and Sunday.

—Mr. E. T. Beeding had a valuable milk cow to die Sunday.

—O. W. Ingels was in Cincinnati on business Wednesday and Thursday.

—The carpenter tools, bees and other personalities of the late J. W. Payne will be sold Saturday at two o'clock at his late residence.

—Quite a number of the dusky sort were tried before "Squire" Thomas on Tuesday afternoon for crap shooting and free use of guns on the banks of Hinkston, a short distance from town Saturday afternoon. Bunt Green \$50 for pointing a gun and \$25 for crap shooting; John Foggy, Carl Miller and Frank Parker, \$25 and costs for crap shooting; Miller and Parker reprieved while Green and Foggy are doing time at the Judy house at Paris.

—The Hurst Home Insurance Co. wrote during the month of April \$75,550 worth of insurance. In the last twelve months the net increase is \$258,050 over the previous year. This is the result of doing business with a company where books are opened all times for inspection, whose directors are your neighbors whose officers from president to the most humble agent is known by almost everybody with whom they come in contact. They need no reference from bank nor commercial agent. If for some reason you happen not to know them your neighbor on the next farm can tell you all about them.

—Dr. H. C. Burroughs left Tuesday for a week's sojourn at Blue Lick Springs.

—George Baldwin, who for several years has been connected with the East Tennessee Telephone Co. has been made night operator at North Middle-town. He is a deserving young man and has been faithful to all duties entrusted to him. We are sure he will give satisfaction in his new field of labor.

—Misses Marthy Dudley, of Carlisle, and Ada Calhoun, of Maysville, are guests of Mrs. Letton Vimont.

—Mrs. Nancy Myers, of Green Castle, Ind., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Mary Whaley.

—We have put in a standard line of pianos and organs and guarantee satisfaction. Call and inspect. Buy from us and we will save you money.

BROWN & MURRAY.

—Miss Flora McElroy, of Doraville, Ga., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. L. Kerr.

—Musical recital at M. F. C. tonight. Public cordially invited.

—FOR RENT.—Rooms suitable for housekeeping. Apply to MILLER & BEST.

—Mr. L. G. Auxier, of Edinburg, Ind., is the guest of his sons, Messrs. Fred and John Auxier.

—Call No. 62, either phone, at any time for all kinds of building material, feed, coal, etc.

STEWART & CLARK.

—Rev. W. S. Morphis raised \$791.99 at the morning service for the Methodist church Sunday to finish paying a debt on the church building and parsonage. Last summer the church was remodeled and a new furnace put in. The Methodist property is now entirely free from debt and this is largely due to the pastor, Rev. Morphis.

—Say, did you know that if tongueless disc harrows are a success that you will want one next year? Did you

know that the disc harrow we are selling is made for a tongueless attachment and that when you decide you want a tongueless harrow all you have to do is buy an attachment and put away your tongue. Well whether you know it or not it is a fact.

PEALE COLLIER & CO.

—The M. M. I. baseball team will play State College Saturday afternoon on State College grounds.

—Rev. E. L. Andrews, of Louisville, will preach at the Baptist church Sunday morning and night.

—W. N. Clark, while under the influence of liquor created a sensation Wednesday afternoon in front of the barber shop of Mr. Flaugher, by shooting four times in the air, some of the shots taking effect in the cornice of the building. He was arrested by constable J. H. Linville and was taken before Judge Wade, where he plead guilty and was fined \$10 and costs for disturbing the peace and \$50 and costs and ten days in jail at hard labor for carrying concealed weapons.

—Bargains in box and bed couches. See our window. JOE W. MOCK.

Removal Notice.

I wish to inform my many patrons that I am now in my new and commodious quarters next to my old stand. New fixtures, large room, three barbers, new bath rooms, and all modern conveniences. Quick service and polite attendants. Your patronage is solicited. Respectfully, BUCK FREEMAN.

42 New Foreman.

Robert S. Porter, having resigned his position as foreman of the News, has accepted the position of proof reader on the Lexington Herald. Mr. Porter is an accurate employee in any department of a newspaper office. Mr. Barney Fretz, of Monticello, Ind., an artistic job and advertisement printer, has accepted Mr. Porter's place with the News. Mr. Fretz is a talented newspaper man in every department of the business, and our patrons will receive the best of work at his hands.

Buy Yourself a Home.

Let me furnish you a good lot with concrete walk and build you a five-room house, with bath, pantry, porches, closets, coal house, etc., for \$1,500.

26-tf D. S. HENRY.

Lot Sold.

R. B. Hutchcraft and others sold to John Christman, of Stanford, lot No. 1, in Fair Ground addition, fronting 150 feet on Nineteenth Street, for \$1,000.

Summer Time Delicacies.

Pure ice cream made fresh every day and delivered to all parts of the city. Our soda water and fancy drinks can't be beat. Give me call.

30-2t MANN'S CONFECTIONERY.

Bishop Burton Next Sunday.

The Rt. Rev. L. W. Burton, D. D. Bishop of the Diocese of Lexington, will preach and administer the Holy Communion at St. Peter's Episcopal Church here next Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Pure Food Meats.

All of our meats are inspected by the Government and are pronounced pure and sweet before we offer them to the public. If you want nice juicy steaks or roasts or any kind of meats you can buy from us with the assurance that you are getting the best.

30-2t MARGOLEN

High Prices For Mules.

James W. Whiet of Mt. Sterling, has purchased of Joe C. Turley and James Scobee two suckling mule colts at \$110 and \$115, and Homer Kirk sold to Dan Gulford one mule at \$55.

McClintock & Sons of Millersburg, purchased a mule colt only five days old from a Mason county man for \$100. The colt is to be delivered in October.

Will Build.

George W. Judy will build a hand-some new residence on the vacant lot adjoining his home on Twelfth street.

WOMEN'S WOES.

Paris Women Are Finding Relief At Last.

It does seem that women have more than a fair share of the aches and pains that afflict humanity; they must "keep up," must attend to duties in spite of constantly aching backs, or headaches, dizzy spells, bearing down pains; they must stoop over, when to stoop means torture. They must walk and bend and work with racking pains and many aches from kidney ills. Kidneys cause more suffering than any other organ of the body. Keep the kidneys well and health is easily maintained. Read of a remedy for kidneys only that helps and cures the kidneys and is endorsed by people you know.

Mrs. Mary Dykes, living on Second St., Paris, Ky., says: "I was troubled continually with weakness and pains across the small of my back which seriously affected my general health. I had taken many well known kidney medicines, but gained very little. Reading of the good results obtained from the use of Doan's Kidney Pills, I called at J. A. Wilson's drug store and procured a box. Having given the medicine a fair trial, I can conscientiously say from the great benefit I have received, that Doan's Kidney Pills are a great medical discovery. I recommend them to all sufferers from kidney trouble."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

The Hog Market.

The hog market has cooled all the experts once more. When prices declined about a dollar per cwt. there was no expectation that they would recover and predictions of \$8 market hogs were general. The reaction is not accounted for solely by the lack of hogs. Evidently the demand, which has been stimulated by the recent cool weather, is broader than expected or usual at this season. In view of recent history nobody can tell what will happen next; but it is probable that there will be more difficulty in disposing of hog meats at the advance and this may soon be followed by another decline.

Romance Of Courier-Journal Trip Abroad.

Miss Maud Miller, of Elkton, one of the winners of the Courier-Journal trip to Europe contest last year, has announced her engagement to Mr. A. Briggs, of New York. Mr. Briggs went to Europe on the same steamer as the Kentucky parties, and there met Miss Miller. Their romance dates from this time and place. Both were mutually attracted, and Mr. Briggs' wanderings abroad seemed to fit in with itinerary of the Courier-Journal party. On their return the New Yorker frequently found his way to Kentucky as well and the engagement is now announced. Miss Miller was a guest of Miss Milda McMillan, of this city, who was one of her companions abroad, a few days ago.

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North and South Churches Unite.

The sessions of the Northern and Southern Presbyterian churches in Mt. Sterling, after several days' discussion have agreed on terms uniting the congregations of both churches. Under the terms of the consolidation, Revs. J. B. Meacham and George A. Joplin, now in charge of the churches will resign and the united congregation is at liberty to choose a pastor from either of the assemblies.

The new church will be a member of the Assembly of the U. S. A. The officers of the two churches will be the officers of the united one, and the Sunday schools will be one as one. The first meeting of the united church was held Wednesday night, one of song and praise. The two pastors will occupy the pulpit alternately until the new pastor is chosen. The Southern Presbyterian church is reserved as the place of worship and the disposal of the other property will be determined later. The new church will be a strong organization.

A Record Breaker.

All records for luck in the scientific treating of poultry and small animals on a farm have been broken by Mrs. Mary F. Mahin, of Keene, Jessamine county. During the past month she has set 120 eggs and from the number were hatched 115 chickens. From 24 ewes she has secured 46 lambs, of which 43 are living, and from 135 turkey eggs she has 130 turkeys.

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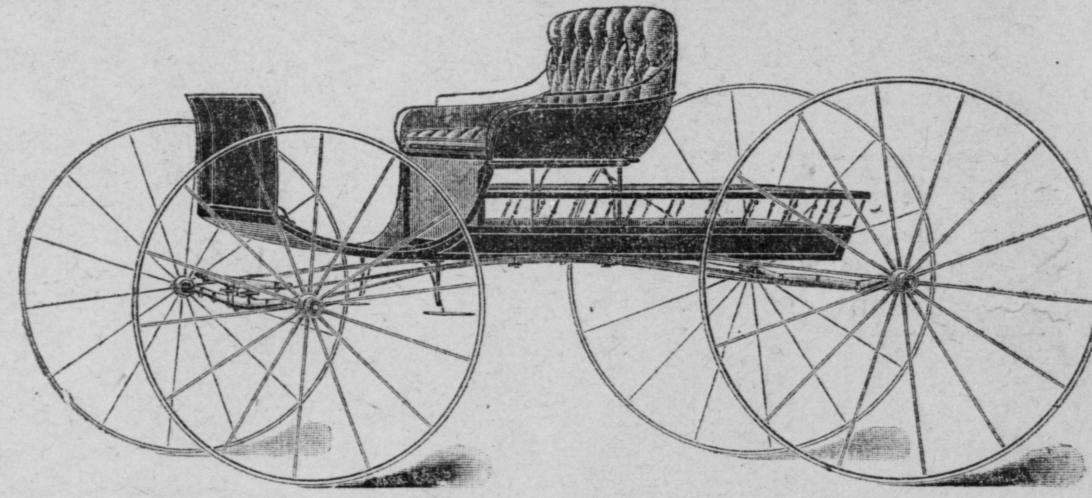
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If it is a road wagon you need, be sure to get a

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Women's Oxfords and Shoes.

Special Price \$1.49 and \$1.99

Buys choice of Women's Shoes and Oxfords, welt and turn soles, Gibson ties. Leathers in Patent Kid, Gun Metal Calf, Golden Tan, soft Vici Kid. All styles heels and toes. Murphy's price \$3 and \$3.50

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Buys choice of Women's Shoes and Oxfords, in one and two eyelet ties. Made of Vici Kid, Tan Russia, Calf and Patent Colt, Blucher and straight lace. Murphy price \$1.75 and \$2.00.

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Ladies, here is your chance! Never will you be able to get such Shoes and Oxfords at this price. Made of genuine Patent Kid, Gun Metal Calf and soft demiglazed Kid in Gibson ties, Pumps and Blucher Oxfords. Murphy's Price \$4.00.

Children's Shoes and Slippers

Special Price 49c and 79c

Buys choice of Infants' and Children's Shoes and Slippers in Tan, Vici Kid and Patent Colt, Buttons and Lace, Turnsoles, one, two and three strap Sandals. Murphy's Price 75c and \$1.00.

Special Price 99c and \$1.24

Buys choice of Misses and Children's Shoes and Oxfords, sizes 8½ to 2. Made in Patent Colt, Tan, and soft Vici Kid, Blucher and straight lace, large eyelets, and silk laces. Murphy's Price \$1.50 and \$2.00.

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Buys choice of Boys' and Youths' Shoes and Oxfords in Box Calf, Vici Kid, Gun Metal Calf and Patent Colt, single and double soles, Blucher and straight lace. Murphy's Price 1.75 and 2.25.

Men's Shoes and Oxfords.

Special Price \$1.99 and \$2.49

Buys choice of Men's Shoes and Oxfords in Patent Colt, Tan Russia Calf and Vici Kid, in single and double soles, button and lace. Murphy's Price 3.00 and 3.50.

Special Price \$1.24 and \$1.45

Buys choice of Men's Shoes in Vici Kid, Box Calf and soft Calfskin, suitable for dress, business or work. Murphy's Price \$1.75 and \$2.00.

Special Price 2.95.

Men's Shoes and Oxfords in all the latest styles, made of fine patent Colt, Gun Metal Calf and Vici Kid. All styles, toes and sizes. Murphy's Price 4.00.